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December 6, 2004

OBLON, SPIVAK, MCCLELLAND, MAIER & NEUSTADT, P.C.  
1940 DUKE STREET  
ALEXANDRIA, VA 22314  
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Dear Sir/Madam,

Your refund request for 10823563 in the amount of \$130.00 has been denied.

Sur charged was only paid once, see enclosed fee sheet.

Sincerely,

ELEANOR KURTZ  
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